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Title:	USE OF A THERMAL BARRIER COATING FOR A HOUSING OF A STEAM TURBINE, AND A STEAM TURBINE			

**Commissioner For Patents** 

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## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows.